

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application Number : 10/053,085 Confirmation No.: 5527
Applicant : Raymond J. GORTE
Filed : November 9, 2001
Title : THE USE OF SULFUR-CONTAINING FUELS FOR
DIRECT OXIDATION OF FUEL CELLS
TC/ArtUnit : 1745
Examiner: : Yuan, D. W. D.
Docket No. : D3928-00017
Customer No. : **08933**

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT
MAILED SEPTEMBER 18, 2007

Commissioner of Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed September 18, 2007,
Applicants submit the following Amendment and Remarks.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks being on page 9 of this paper.

A PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME has been filed, concurrently with this
Amendment, extending the time for response to the Official Action three (3) months, from
October 18, 2007, to January 18, 2008.

An **Appendix** including articles in support of applicants position is attached following
page 17 of this paper.